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SUBJ: CCMS: ROAD SAFETY PROGRAM EXCHANGE

1. FOR ANKARA, ATHENS, COPENHAGEN, LISBON, LUXEMBOURG, OSLO,
AND REYKJAVIK: REQUEST FOLLOWING LETTER BE FORWARDED TO
APPROPRIATE HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL.

APPROPRIATE FORMALITIES. BEGIN QUOTE:

FOLLOWING THE SPRING PLENARY SESSION OF NATO'S COMMITTEE
ON THE CHALLENGES OF MODERN SOCIETY SEVERAL ROAD SAFETY
OFFICIALS OF INTERESTED ALLIES MET IN PARIS TO DISCUSS
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOLLOW ON ACTIVITIES OF THE ROAD SAFETY
PILOT STUDY. AMONG THE MATTERS DISCUSSED WAS THE PROGRAM
EXCHANGE CALLED FOR BY PARAGRAPH 3. B OF THE INTERNATIONAL
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RESOLUTION ON ROAD SAFETY. IT WAS OBVIOUS TO ALL THAT THERE

WAS LITTLE TIME IN WHICH TO COMPLETE THE FIRST EXCHANGE CALLED FOR BY SEPTEMBER 1974.

BECAUSE OF THE TIME ELEMENT AND THE FACT THAT PROCEDURES FOR THE EXCHANGE HAD NOT BEEN DISCUSSED BY ALL INTERESTED ALLIES, THOSE IN ATTENDANCE AT THE PARIS MEETING AGREED THAT THE INITIAL EXCHANGE SHOULD BE OF A LIMITED NATURE. AS THE PILOT COUNTRY FOR THE ROAD SAFETY STUDY, THE UNITED STATES IS FORWARDING CERTAIN ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS OF THE INFORMAL AGREEMENT ON THE EXCHANGE IN ORDER THAT ALL ALLIES WHO ARE INTERESTED WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE.

THE INITIAL EXCHANGE, UTILIZING THE FORMAT CONTAINED IN APPENDIX 4 OF CCMS REPORT NO. 21, ROAD SAFETY PILOT STUDY, WILL BE LIMITED TO THE INFORMATION OUTLINED IN PARTS 1, 2, 3.5 AND 3.6. THE NETHERLANDS WILL RECEIVE, COLLATE, AND PREPARE A REPORT ON PARTS 2 AND 3.6, DISTRIBUTING RESULTS TO ALL ALLIES. CANADA WILL RECEIVE AND SIMILARLY PROCESS INFORMATION ON PART 3.5. THE UNITED STATES WILL RECEIVE AND SIMILARLY PROCESS PART 1. TO ALLOW THE PROCESSING COUNTRIES TIME FOR THEIR PREPARATIONS, INFORMATION SHOULD BE SENT TO REACH THEM BY JULY 15, 1974.

INFORMATION ON PART 3.5 SHOULD BE SENT TO DR. GORDON CAMPBELL, DIRECTOR, ROAD AND MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC SAFETY BRANCH, CANADIAN SURFACE TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION, MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT, TOWER "C", PLACE DE VILLE, OTTAWA, ONTARIO, CANADA K1A 0N5.

INFORMATION OF PARTS 2 AND 3.6 SHOULD BE SENT TO MR. B.W. QUIST, CHIEF OF ROAD TRAFFIC SAFETY, LONINGSKADE 4, THE HAGUE, NETHERLANDS.

INFORMATION ON PART 1 SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO DR. JAMES B. GREGORY, NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATOR, DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, 400 7TH STREET, S.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20590.

IT IS HOPED THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF (SUPPLY NAME) WILL PARTICIPATE IN THIS INITIAL EXCHANGE AS CALLED FOR IN THE UNCLASSIFIED

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INTERNATIONAL RESOLUTION ON ROAD SAFETY. SIGNED JAMES B. GREGORY, DIRECTOR, ROAD SAFETY PILOT STUDY. UNQUOTE.

REQUEST NAME OF ADDRESSEES BE REPORTED ATTENTION DOT-NHTSA.

2. FOR BONN, BRUSSELS, THE HAGUE, LONDON, OTTAWA, AND ROME REQUEST INFORMATION COPY OF ABOVE LETTER BE GIVEN GOST GOVERNMENT ROAD SAFETY OFFICIAL WHO WAS INVITEE TO PARIS

MAY 10 MEETING. SEE STATE 051978 (MARCH 1974) FOR THE NAMES.
DRAFT OF SUMMARY MINUTES OF PARIS MEETING WILL BE MAILED TO
THEM BY JUNE 18.

3. FOR PARIS ATTENTION WM. MILLER: REQUEST COPY OF ABOVE
LETTER BE GIVEN GERONDEAU. LETTER TO HIM FROM GREGORY
CONCERNING MINUTES OF MAY 10 MEETING IN MAIL BY JUNE 18.

4. ALL MISSIONS WILL BE SENT COPIES OF MINUTES OF PARIS
MAY 10 MEETING. BROWN

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